

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR APPLYING
A MODULAR PANELING ASSEMBLY
ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A modular paneling assembly and method of applying same is provided.

- 5 The modular paneling assembly includes at least one elongated panel member, upper and lower rails defining upper and lower recesses, respectively, the upper and lower recesses spaced apart a distance greater than the distance between upper and lower edge portions of the panel member, such that the panel member is removably retained in the recesses when supported by the bottom rail. The method of applying the paneling
- 10 assembly includes the steps of mounting the upper and lower rails to a mounting surface, inserting the upper edge portion of the panel member into the upper recess and inserting the lower edge portion of the panel member into the lower recess.